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Subject:

Streamside Setbacks

At the present time builders are building structures on stream banks up to the high water line and in the flood plain on tributaries because they know that setback regulations are coming in the next year. I urgently urge you to work with the "Setback Committee " to impose a interim regulation to give some protection to stream banks and riparian areas until a final regulation is in place. I firmly believe that protecting stream banks and riparian areas enhances property values as well as protects the huge investment that the conservation community has invested in stream restoration in Ravalli County. Quality fishing is very valuable to this county. The builders, developers and realtors use the "Fishing" and "Streams" to sell Properties and do everything they can to destroy the streams. I am going to try to forward e-mails containing pictures of some of the homes being built by "Pigman Builders" on Skalkaho, Bear and Mill creeks. Thank you for taking the time to read my message. Don H. Mabry , 1183 Skalkaho Rd. ,Hamilton ,Mt. 59840 Ph# 375-9189

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